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## OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE COUNTY.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Trade at Taggart's.  
Fresh fruit at Taggart's.  
Silver \$ .55. Lead \$4.63.

Odd Fellows were out in good force last Tuesday.

R. Mars, of Stockton Hill, paid us a visit last Tuesday.

Everybody is invited to help us celebrate on the Fourth.

Judge Murphy took the train on Sunday for San Francisco.

Our Mineral Park correspondent has forgotten us this week.

The Fourth of July programme is published in another column.

The new organ for the Sunday school is expected in a few days.

Mrs. Ver Mehr and Miss Nellie Taggart left for San Francisco on Sunday morning.

William Grant, the merchant of Hackberry, was in town on Monday and Tuesday last.

C. M. Funston and family moved into their new residence on Beal street, on Tuesday.

District Attorney Williams is making preparations to build a porch in front of his house.

Henry Lambert, the well known stockman from Fort Mojave, was in town on Sunday last.

Supervisor Nelson and family have been rusticated at Pine Springs for several days past.

Messrs. Harney and Brother left for the Golden Gate mill at Lost Basin, on Monday morning.

Ben Spear received two or three car loads of lath, flooring, posts, etc., for his new hotel last week.

If you want to see yourself as others see you pay a visit to the new photograph gallery at the Sampling Works.

J. H. Farlee has a fine band of horses belonging to Jerry Sullivan, of Yavapai county, on his Diamond River ranch.

Judge Blakely has commenced the erection of a commodious residence in town. The building will be of adobe.

Make your entries for the races on the Fourth of July early, so that the committee may know how many to provide for.

The Youth's Companion wants to know why "Pond's Extract is like time," and truly answers, "Because it heals many a wound."

The last will and testament of Allan H. Grant has been filed for probate. His brother William is appointed executor of the estate.

Mr. Howell, of the C. O. D. mine, was in town on Tuesday and Wednesday superintending the sampling of a couple of car loads of ore.

W. E. Frost received a carload of lumber this morning. He will shortly commence the erection of a residence on the south side of the track.

The work on the new hotel is being rushed for all that is in it now, but it is doubtful if it can be ready for occupancy for two months yet.

Agent Copeland, of the Atlantic & Pacific, and Wells, Fargo & Co., appears to be the right man in the right place according to all accounts.

Assessor Ewing has completed his assessment roll for the present year and is now engaged preparing a copy thereof for the Board of Supervisors.

Ed. F. Thompson, the right hand man of Beecher & Co. at Mineral Park, came over on Monday night and left on the following morning for San Francisco to enjoy a three weeks' well earned vacation.

Chief Justice Wright has kindly consented to deliver the oration at our forthcoming celebration. He has the reputation of being a first-class speaker, and we shall no doubt have a treat in listening to him.

Low Blakely and Mrs. Frank Kenney have formed a copartnership and started an ice cream saloon. They intend also to keep all kinds of fresh fruit on hand. They should do well, provided Low does not eat up all the stock on hand.

The railroad company will put up an additional wire on their telegraph line in a week or two. It is almost impossible to transmit the present enormous business of the road with one wire, and this accounts for the numerous delays in sending and receiving dispatches.

R. M. Bacheller, traveling auditor of the Atlantic & Pacific, stopped over with us on Tuesday last, much to the gratification of certain of the fair sex. "Bach" has many friends here, particularly among the ladies, and it is well known in growing up to be an old "bach" no blame can be attached to them.

Ice, applied on the wound immediately from the mouth of a common, ordinary black bottle, and a little of the same taken internally has been recommended as a sovereign remedy for rattlesnake bites. If you feel that you might be bit ten, take it internally anyhow. An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure, but this remedy, to be successful must be taken out of a black bottle. White glass would give it away.

## OUR MINES.

**What the Miners of Mohave County Have Been Doing the Past Week.**

Our thanks are due to the owners of the C. O. D., Cupel and Silver King mines for handsome specimens of the ores of those mines.

A carload of C. O. D. ore was put through the Sampling Works on Tuesday and another on Wednesday.

Superintendent Mackenzie had a carload of ore from the Cupel mine worked his week, but the assays have not yet been received from Prescott.

Mr. R. S. Williams, a mine owner and capitalist of Providence district, across the Colorado, brought in six tons of very rich gold ore on Wednesday, and had it sampled, but being on his way east did not wait for the assays, which goes to show that people generally have implicit confidence in the management of our Sampling Works.

Mr. Howell tells us that the carload of lead ore from the C. O. D. mine, worked this week, sampled 111 ounces in silver, which is twice as much as any previous lot of lead ore worked from this mine. The returns from the high grade ore have not yet been made.

The assayer of the Sampling Works, Prof. Middleton, has had a lay-off this week, having had to devote his whole time and attention to a felon on his thumb. Consequently all the assaying has been done at Prescott this week.

Fourteen tons of rich ore was hoisted from the Keystone mine, Mineral Park, last Saturday. We hear this morning that the lessees have made another rich strike, but have been unable as yet to learn its extent.

Mr. Dennis tells us that ore is coming in very slowly to the Sampling Works on account of scarcity of pack trains. This should not be the case, as the mines are taking out more ore than ever before in the history of the county and the dumps are crowded with ore sacked up ready for the packers. Whoever will bring fifty or a hundred pack animals to Wallapai district can get steady work for them for some time to come.

## PROCEEDINGS

—OF THE—

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The honorable Board of Supervisors of the county of Mohave met on Monday, June 6th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Present, Samuel Crozier, Chairman, and James J. Hyde, Clerk.

Absent, Supervisors Nelson and Johnson.

There being no quorum for the transaction of business the Board stood at recess until 9 p. m. at which time the Chairman ordered the Board adjourned.

**SAMUEL CROZIER,**  
Chairman of the Board.  
Attest,  
**JAMES J. HYDE,**  
Clerk.

Capt. Hardy, the old Republican war horse from Stockton Hill, is in town.

Lemp's Milwaukee lager beer and Guinness's stout at Taggart & Co.'s.

Tom Shipp and his brother, Jeff, are rusticated in the rural precincts of Prescott.

Fresh fruit, ice, English table delicacies and lots of other good things to eat at Taggart's store.

Mrs. J. T. Watkins and Mrs. Hill went over to Mineral Park this morning on a few days' visit.

Johnny Krider, a former well known and popular merchant of Mineral Park, is now editor and proprietor of a newspaper at Nipomo, Cal.

Dick Taggart has been taking a rest this week and Tobe Wilkinson has been piloting the buckboard between here and Mineral Park in the meantime.

Conductor Roberts, who runs one of the passenger trains between the Needles and Williams, seems to be a general favorite with the traveling public.

Dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, groceries, hardware and mining material of all kinds, cheaper than the cheapest, at Taggart & Co.'s postoffice store.

The Indians had a grand pow-wow on Wednesday night and many of our citizens visited the Indian camp during its continuance. Capt. Leve-Leve was the orator.

Dr. Sherman, late of Socorro, N. M., is in town for a few days. The doctor is looking for a place to locate and, we understand, is very favorably impressed with Kingman.

Parties at Peach Springs claim that they cannot get their mail only semi occasionally. Considering that it passes through the Hackberry postoffice it is not to be wondered at.

A petition has been signed and forwarded to Washington asking the appointment of J. N. Cohenour as postmaster at Peach Springs. We hope it will be granted forthwith.

Many think that the new hotel is too low, and that it would have looked better if the stories had been made two or three feet higher. As we are not paying for its building we have nothing to say about it.

Dr. Castle came in a few days since from Prescott with a view to taking up his permanent residence with us. He has already rented Mrs. Manley's house and expects his wife and two children to join him shortly.

Messrs. Taggart, Hill, Watkins and Hyde, and Messrs. R. H. Taggart, Bacheller, Addison and Hyde, took a trip to the Grand Canyon last week, going by way of Peach Springs. They had a very delightful time, of which more hereafter.

The Atlantic and Pacific folks have stated that as soon as local traffic will justify it, which will be shortly at the present rate of increase, they will put on a daily train between Williams and the Needles. This would be a great accommodation to our citizens, and enable them to travel in the daytime instead of sitting up all night for the regular trains.

## SOCIETY NOTES.

AFTER THE STYLE OF THE DAILY PAPERS.

Miss Evelina Simpkins went out walking last evening with the Hon. Algernon Littlelegs. The young couple appeared to be in the seventh heaven of delight, and walked almost to the pump house before they recovered.

Charles Augustus Centeron entertained a few choice spirits at his elegantly furnished rooms near the Sampling Works a few evenings since.

Dr. and Mrs. Rollingsstone were the recipients of a numerous attended surprise party on Thursday week last. The evening was spent in social converse and such quiet games as "Blind Man's Buff," "Fox and Geese" &c, and it is needless to say that the Doctor, in spite of the fatigue incident to his very large practice, entered into the spirit of the occasion and for the time became one of the gayest of the gay.

The many friends of Miss Jemima Gushington, and especially Lieutenant Eulyn, of the Wallapai Rifles, are made unhappy from the fact that she is suffering from the toothache.

The beautiful and accomplished Mrs. Hodgkins, of Mineral Park, accompanied the Hon. Mrs. Tackiton in her usual drive in Coter's Park last evening.

The departure of the charming and versatile Miss Antelope Kismeequick on a short visit to friends at Hackberry has created a void in society circles.

Society will be pleased to learn that that fashionable resort known as Beal Springs, will be graced by the presence of Mrs. Kettles and family during the heated term.

St. Don Walarkin, the Irish merchant prince and the idol of all Kingman ladies, entertained a few of his friends the evening before his departure for Europe. The evening was spent in the usual feast of reason and flow of champagne. The report that he missed the Cunarder on which he had engaged his passage is a base slander emanating from the fertile brain of some of his unsuccessful rivals.

Major Arthur Slayborne will lecture on Monday evening next at St. Williams Church for the benefit of the Organ Fund. Subject: "What I know about the Interior Economy of the Prison System of the United States and the Influence of Solitary Confinement on the Prisoner's Mind." Mr. Slayborne's intimate acquaintance with the mode of dealing with criminals in the various prisons of the United States, which he has made the study of his life since his visit to Mineral Park several years ago, enables him to give his audience an idea of life behind the bars which must be heard to be appreciated.

The engagement of Miss Kellie Brown to the Hon. Patsy Lowellboy is announced and the wedding will take place in a short time. The happy couple will spend the honeymoon at Coyote Holes and afterwards visit their estates in Ireland. Should an extra session of the Legislature be called Mr. Lowellboy will return at once and attend to the interests of his constituents.

Mrs. Datura Notkins Neverquittalking is confined to her elegant mansion on Fifth St. with inflammation of the vocal organs. Her husband and friends are in despair for fear that she will lose the use of her magnificent voice.

Superintendent Whitehead, of the Silver Door Mining and Milling Company, has started out on a prospecting trip to the unknown regions of the Lost Basin. He expects to find it too warm for his thermometer to be comfortable, but his efforts in the cause of humanity will not be lessened on that account. He hopes soon to be able to demonstrate that the common American peanut can be grown in that climate.

Mr. Ed. Cider, the well-known apostle of Oscar Wilde, has recovered from his recent illness. For a time it was thought that the last dance was too much for him.

While the society editor is not ubiquitous, still he notifies the four ladies and gentlemen who discussed the doings of a certain "clique," while walking down Fourth St., not over a thousand years ago, that even adobe walls have ears, although they are not always as long as those of the burro.

The beautiful Mrs. Icicle, who was such a centre of attraction at the last ball, has announced her intention of going into a convent. In the meantime society is in despair.

The hotel on Oak Creek is shortly to be reopened under new management. Parties visiting this favorite hotel will not be subject to any of the annoyances existing under the old management, as the hotel will be run strictly as a temperance house.

## Death of Allan H. Grant.

On May 26th, 1887, at Los Angeles, Cal., Allan H. Grant, the well known merchant of Hackberry and Peach Springs, departed this life at the early age of 31 years, the cause of his death being heart disease. The deceased was a young man of great promise, a good business man and a general favorite in the community. The fact that he had only recently been married makes his untimely end the more sad. Born and raised in Canada, he came to Arizona about six years ago, and upon the completion of the Atlantic & Pacific road established himself in the mercantile business at Peach Springs and afterwards at Hackberry, in which he succeeded well. He leaves a widow and brother in Hackberry, besides a mother and two sisters in Canada. In the death of Allan Grant our county loses one of its best citizens. Upright and honorable in all his dealings, his word was as good as his bond. His many friends join with us in extending our sympathies to the bereaved family.

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The citizens of Kingman extend a hearty invitation to the residents of Hackberry, Peach Springs, Needles, Calico, Williams, Flagstaff, Holbrook, Albuquerque, San Bernardino and other towns along the line of the A. & P. railroad, and the mining camps throughout the county to join them in making the coming celebration the best ever held in Arizona.

Orator of the Day,

CHIEF JUSTICE J. H. WRIGHT.

President of the Day,

J. J. JEROME, of Signal.

## PROGRAMME.

MONDAY, JULY FOURTH.

At 4 A. M. National Salute of 38 Guns.

At 10 A. M. Literary Exercises and Singing of National Hymns.

Oration by J. H. Wright, Esq., Chief Justice of Arizona.

Reading of the Declaration of Independence by L. O. Cowan, of Peach Springs.

At 2 P. M. the Races will begin.

HORSE RACE—600 YARDS. Entree Fee \$15. 1st Prize \$100 and two-thirds entree fee. 2nd Prize \$25 and one-third entree fee.

SCRUB RACE—300 YARDS. Entree Fee \$5. 1st Prize \$20 and one-fourth entree fee. 2nd Prize \$5 and one-fourth entree fee.

SLOW BURRO RACE. Entree Fee \$2.50. 1st Prize \$10 and one-half entree fee. 2nd Prize \$5 and one-quarter entree fee.

FOOT RACE—75 YARDS. Entree Fee \$2. Prize \$10 and two-thirds entree fee.

FAT MAN'S FOOT RACE. Entree Fee \$1. Prize \$5 and entree fee.

SACK RACE. Entree Fee \$1. Prize \$5 and two-thirds entree fee.

THREE LEGGED RACE. Prize \$5 and two-thirds entree fee.

At 8 P. M. there will be a Grand Display of Fireworks. The largest and best pyrotechnic treat ever given in Arizona.

Dancing will commence immediately after the Fireworks. A dancing platform will be furnished to accommodate 200 couple.

TUESDAY, JULY FIFTH.

GRAND SHINNY GAME between Mohave and Wallapai Indians. Over 200 Indians will participate.

In the evening Wallapai Big Cry and Dances.

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